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Man drowns off Ninini Beach

NININI - A fisherman notified police dispatch Saturday evening about a male swimmer in distress in the vicinity of Ninini Beach also known as Running Waters.

Engine-3, a battalion chief and Rescue-3 aboard Air-1 responded to the 5 p.m. alarm.

The man was found unresponsive underwater in a cave and was brought to shore by the rescue specialists.

Firefighters performed CPR on the victim until Medic-21 arrived. The medics then transported the victim to Wilcox Hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Authorities have not yet released the victim's name.